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large number
for nation's defense.



World War II scene of battle zone in New Guinea. Photo taken in 1943 in area where Ellis Weber served.

LIST OF VETERANS

World War I

The only record at the courthouse of veterans from McIntosh County who served during World War I is in three volumes listing names of men and women from North Dakota. The list is not categorized by county.

PRAIRIES' list was compiled from some of the county's legion posts, Henry Saylor of Wishek, Mary Meier of Ashley, and from a calendar printed by First State Bank of Ashley in July 1920 which listed the names of "Our Boys Who Fought For Us" (the calendar was submitted by Martha Nill Weber).

Names in boldface are those who were killed while in the armed services.

A

John Ackerman and Fred Ackerman.

B

LeRoy Brown, **Reinhold Breitling**, August Boschee, Gust Boettcher, Philip Burlock, Henry H. Blessing, Henry C. Bader, Christian Babitzke, Fred Breitmeyer, Daniel Billigmeier, Gail R. Brokow.

Jacob Becker, William Bitz, Jacob Bender, Fred Bossert, Theodore Breitling, Andrew Bertsch (from South Dakota), Karl E. Baumann, John Beck, Herman Braufman, Emanuel Bauder, Gust Bender, and August Bertsch (from South Dakota).

C

Charles Cohen.

attendance at the American Legion Boys' State, held annually in Fargo.

Original membership of the Post was 40 members.

Aloysius J. Streifel Post Number 253 American Legion (Zeeland). The Aloysius J. Streifel Post Number 253 was organized in 1945, and was named for the first casualty of this area who fell during the Normandy invasion in June 1944.

There were nine charter members in the organization.

The Post is active in sponsoring community activities, also conducting observances during patriotic holidays.

The Post assists the community in many other worthwhile projects and events.

Officers are Francis Streifel, commander; Sylvester Meier, vice commander; Joe Wolf, adjutant; and Eugene Schatz, sergeant-at-arms.

also active in sponsoring and supporting civic events, among these are Boys' State and American Legion baseball teams. An interesting component of the Post is the Legion Drum and Bugle Corps, which performs at many county and state-wide celebrations.

Klauss-Becker Post Number 218 American Legion (Lehr). It was organized and received its charter in November 1947 and named in honor of Erwin Klauss, who was killed in action in Italy, and in honor of Raymond Becker, who died of wounds received at the invasion of Italy during World War II.

The Post has been active in supporting and in sponsoring community projects. It conducts annual observances of patriotic events, such as Memorial Day. It has sponsored high school boys for

Veterans (continued)

World War I

D

Frederick Dewald, Fred Dockter, John Doerheim Jr., Jacob Dobler, and Carl Dohn (from South Dakota).

E

F.H. Eisenbeis, Carl Eissinger, Henry Elssinger, S.H. Eisenbeis, and Jacob Ernst.

F

John Fandrich, **John Fregien**, Victor Frankfurth, William Friedt, Charles Faszer, Fred Fischer, and Christian Fischer.

G

Oswald Guenther, Theodore H. Giedt, Sam Giedt, Jacob Glaesman, Christoph Geiszler Jr., David

Grosz, Jacob F. Greuneich, Peter Geffre (from South Dakota), and Tom Geffre (from South Dakota).

H

John J. Heather, Henry Hoff, Clarence Hoard, Emil Herr, Edward Heupel, Jacob Heupel, **John J. Hoffmann**, James Whitney Hammond, Albert Wilson Halter, Christian Heilman, Berlin Joseph Holm, August Haupt, Fred Hummel, **Carl Hildenbrand**, Gottfried Helfenstein (from South Dakota).

I

Gottlieb J. Iszler.

J

William Jenner, Harry L.P. Johnson, Charles Allen Johnstone, Jacob J. Jenner (from South Dakota), John J. Jenner (from South Dakota), Andrew Just, Christ Janke, and Solomon Joachim (from South Da-

kota).

K

Joseph Kantor, Jacob Kappes, Jacob E. Klipfel, Christ Kappes (from South Dakota), Adam A. Ketterling, J.J. Kramer, Edward Kurle, Henry Kramer, Jacob Kramer,

Christ Krein, Philip Ketterling, Ed Kusler, Carl Kusler, Michael Klein, Fred J. Klipfel, Emanuel Koth, and Jacob Knoll.

L

Henry Lemke, John J. Lammle, Simon Labrenz, **John Lacher**, N. Levin, **Anton Labolewich**, and Jacob Layer.

M

C.H. Meyer, John Mayer, John Maier Jr., Adam Miller, Jacob J. Maier, Bernard Meidinger, David Maier, John W. Meidinger, James F.L. McGoon, Robert G. Mensing,



Tom Geffre fought in World War I in 1917. An active man, Geffre still dances the polkas most Saturday nights at the Eagles in Aberdeen.



Peter Geffre was a veteran of World War I, serving in 1917.

E.H. Maercklein, Fred Miller, George Medford, **Fred M. Meidinger**, Albert Moos, and James Stanley McGogy.

N

Jacob Nill, John Nitschke, and Henry Nolte.

O

Omar Ottman.

P

Christof Pfahl, Gust Pfahl, **Frank Piper**, Paul Pudwill, Andrew Pokert, Christ H. Pfeiffer, Fred Pfahl, and Charles Pratt.

R

Ludwig Reuther, Sam Rubin, John Retzer, Christian Rall, Andreas Rothfusz, Warren A. Rudow, Phillip Rubin,

Jacob Rau (from South Dakota), Gustoph Retzer (from South Dakota), David Rath Jr. (from South Dakota), Christ C. Rath (from South Dakota), Christ Ritter, Fred Roehm, David Ringer, Fred Reich Jr., Carl Reinholt, **Fred Rott**, John Rudolph, and Charles Roehm.

S

Richard Schaeffer, Henry Saylor, Jacob J. Stroh, Andrew Schlenker, Christ Sperle, Gottlieb L. Saylor, Andrew Schauer, Russel I. Stevens, John Schulz,

Rudolph Schmidt, John Stepper, John Schilling, Emanuel "Dutchy" Schock, Christian Stein, Fred Schiermeister, Martin Scheid (from South Dakota), John Schauer, John Ira Spurgeon, Joseph Schumacher, Fred Schmitt, John Schweigert, Mike Schlittenmayer, and Christian Sperle.

T

August Thurn, Andrew Tschetter, Joe Tschetter, and Edward P. Treich.

V

Henry Vossler.

W

John Weber, Gottlieb Walth, E.P. Walker, Edward Wetzel, John Henry Wishek Jr., Fred Wahl, Arthur Wetzel, Emil Wiest,

Karl Wanner, Reinhold Weber, John C. Walz, William J. Weisser, Daniel Wageman Jr., John Wage-

man Jr., Fred Walz, Benjamin C. Westphal, Benjamin Wagner, Karl Ellison Wishek.

Abraham Ellick Weisman, Christian H. Weisz, **Theodore Werre** (from South Dakota), **Jacob Weber** (from South Dakota).

Arnold West, Ralph Emerson Wilken, John Walz, John Weisser, and Christ G. Wolf (from South Dakota).

Z

Ed Zundel, David Ziegenhagel, and John Ziegenhagel.

Discharges for World War II and Post-War Period

*Soldier's and Sailor's
Discharge Record, Vol. 1*

The names of the following people are categorized at the time they filed their discharge papers at the clerk of court's office in McIntosh County. Most filed soon after they were discharged, thereby indicating the wars and time during which they served; however, there were some who waited to file their papers as long as 30 and 40 years later.

Letters following the name indicate the service in which they served: (A)—Army; (N)—Navy; and (M)—Marines. Air Force is written in full.

A

Harold Aman (A), Otto Aman (A), Ruben Aipperspach (A), Ferdinand Aipperspach (A), Gedion Aipperspach (A), Benjamin Aipperspach (A), Myron Anderson (N), Theodore Arit (A), Wilbert Ammon (A), Ralph C. Austine Jr. (A), and Peter Albrecht (A).

B

Alvin Bietz (A), Ralph Brown

(A), Theodore Babitzke (A), Arthur Berreth (A), Theodore Bauer (A), Roy Bittner (A), Julius T. Boschee (A), Constant Brandner (A), John Boch (A), Edwin B. Bertsch (A), Roy Bettenhausen (A), Allen Bittner (A), Roy Bauer (A), Ervin Bertsch (A), Elmer R. Bittner (M), Emil Babitzke (A), Adam Bauer (A), Aaron Bittner (A), Wilfred Bauer (A), Arthur Bier (A), Herman Buckhaus (A), Philip Binder (A), Virgil Brandt (A), Marvin Brandt (A), Herman Bettenhausen (A).

Herbert Bauer, Milbert Berrett (A), Eugene Bertsch (A), Willard Brandt (A), Edwin Buchholz (A), Roland W. Becker (A), Walter Brandner (A), Warren Bettenhausen (A).

Ervin H. Boschee (N), Henry C. Bauer (A), Fred Brown (N), Elmer Brown (A), Edna Blighton (A), Ralph Brown (A), Armand Bauer (N), Edwin Bader (A), Adam Bollinger (A), Milton Billigmeier (A), Reinhard Bechtold (A), Ervin Bender (N), **John Baumstarck**, Douglas Babitzke (A), Elmer Bader (A), Herbert Bertsch (A), Raymond Bettenhausen (A).

Theodore Brandt (A), **Raymond Becker**, Orvind Bertsch (A), Albert Buchholz (A), William R. Binder (A), Herman Bender (A), **Joseph Brinkman**, Richard V. Baumann (A), Gottlieb Breitmeyer (A), Wilbert L. Brandner, and Arthur Bitz (A).

C

William Cox (A), Roy Collins (A), and Leo Cohen (A).

D

Adolf Dockter (A), John Doerr (A), August F. Dockter (A), Arthur Dobler (A), Robert Duncan (A), Herbert H. Doering (N), Albert Delzer (A), John R. Dockter (A), George Dewalt (A), Emil Dobler (M), Arthur Dockter (A), William H. Doering (A), Leslie Dockter (A), Hilmer Dobler (N), Quentin Dockter (N), Albert Dollinger (A), Wilbur Delzer (A), Howard Delzer (A), Reinhold Dockter (A), Hilbert Dittus (A), Adam Dockter (A), Richard Dockter, Lester C. Dempsey, and **Otto J. Dockter (A)**.

E

Emil Engel (A), Adam Ernst (A), Harold Eissingner (A), Glenn A.



David Helmer can be seen in the front row (right) playing the tuba at a military parade in Fort Warren, Wyoming, in 1945.

Eissinger (A), Walter Eisenbeis (A), Jacob J. Engel (A), Julius Engel (A), Clifford Eissinger (A), Arthur Eisenbeis (A), Arthur Erbele (A), Frederick Eszlinger (A), **Eugene Eisenbeis**, Gottlieb K. Eszlinger (A).

F

Edwin Fuchs (A), Joseph Feist (A), Ervin Fregien (A), Benjamin Freimarck (A), Frederick Fregien (A), William Fischer (A), Adam J. Feist (A), Theodore Frankfort (A), Peter Frank (A), Joseph Fleck (A), Vernon Freimarck (M), Theodore Fischer (A), Herman Fischer (A), Arthur Fischer (A), Theophil Fischer (A), Chester Faul (A), and Nicklaus Feist (A).

G

Edwin Glur (A), Edwin Goehring (A), Walter Gimbel (N), Arthur Gehring (A), Robert A. Guenther (N), Anthony Geffre (A), Eugene Geffre (A), Laurence Giedt (A).

Rudolph Golz (A), Arnold Ginnow (N), Leonard Geiszler (A), Raymond Gehring (A), Adolph

Geiszler (N), John Gimbol (A), Earl Grosz (N), Clarence George (A), Reuben Geiszler (A), Laurel Geiszler (A), Alex Gulasba (A), Eldon Gaebel (M), Andrew J. Gross, and Alois Geffre (A).

H

Reuben Haas (Naval Reserve), Gordon Hoffman (A), Walter Hiller (A), Peter Hasenmueller (Naval Reserve), Reinhold Hoffman (A), Edward Hochhalter (A), Albert Hoffman (A), Henry Hoff (A), Wilbert Hauff (A), Edgar Hildenbrand (A), **Wilbur W. Hindemith**, Walter Hindemith (A).

Michael Holzer (N), Henry Herr (N), August Heinrich (A), Calvin Hochhalter (A), Gottfried Harsch (A), Martin Hagel (A), Norman Huber (A), Calvin Henne (A), Lorrin James Herr (N), Reinhold Huether (A), Milton Haas (A), Oscar Herman (A), Carl Hildenbrand (A), Grant Hofer (A), Benjamin Huber (A), **T.W. Hildenbrand**, Ralph Hiller (A).

Arthur Hauff (N), David Helmer (A), Oscar Hermann (A), Solomon

Hochhalter (A), Clifton Herr (A), Wm. F. Hermann (N), Clarence Harter (N), Delane Hein (A), Gottfried Hoffman (A), Reuben Hoffman (A), Paul Haerter (A), Gideon Heupel (A), **Edward Hasenmueller**, Ryley Heuther (A).

Helmut Huber (A), LaVern Hoff (A), Rueben Hummel (A), Gertrude Heupel (Army Nurse), John W. Harper (N), Walter Hochhalter (A), Adolph Hildenbrand (A), Richard Hilt (N), Walter T. Hildenbrand (A), **Godfrey Heinitz**, Calvin Hoff (N), Arlo Haupt (M), Peter Helfenstein (A), and Adolph Heupel (A).

I

Olaf Iverson (N), Albert R. Iszler (A), Albert B. Iszler (A), Roger Isaak (N), Larry Iverson (A), Kenneth Isaak (A), Herbert Iszler (A), Raymond Iszler (A), Otto Iszler (A), and Andreas Iszler (A).

J

Daniel Jenner (A), Edwin Junkert (A), Alfred Joachim (A), Donald Junge (A), Adam Jangula (A), George Jund (A), Casey Jonas



While serving in Germany in a U.S. Army tank squadron, Rochus Lacher was injured when a fellow buddy's gun jammed, hitting Lacher in the right side of his face. Another injury was when his leg was run over. For that and other heroism, he received the Purple Heart. Lacher died on January 31, 1984 after receiving open heart surgery for replacement of a valve. He died at the University Hospital in Minneapolis.

(A), Henry Just (A), Arthur Johnson (A), Alvin Just (A), Otto Joachim (A), Daniel Just (A), Robert Johnson (A), Jacob A. Just (A), Ervin Just (A), Elmer Jenner (M), Steve Jangula (A), Harry Jenner (A), Lloyd J. Joachim (A), and Gottlieb Janke (A).

K
August Krein (A), Leo Ketterling (A), Harold Ketterling (A), Gottlieb Klipfel (A), Michael Kelber (A), Theodore Koepplin (A), Theophil Ketterling (A), Harley Keim (A), Oscar Kempf (A), Ervin Klaus, Anton Klein (A), Bernhard Kelber (A), Herbert



Pius Lacher was stationed at Company C 115th Infantry Training Battalion, 78th Regiment Infantry at Replacement Training Center at Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas.

Kessler (A), Gustave Kosanke (N), Rudolph Kempf (A), John Klein (N), Alvin Kempf (N), Henry Ketterling (A), Marvin Kessel (A).

Daniel Klein (N), Harold Krueger (M), Harold Klipfel (A), Ishmael Kempf (A), Raymond Keim (A), Eugene Ketterling (A), Berthold Krause (A), Laurence Krause (M), Clarence Kramer (A), Harold Klein (N), Gottlieb Klein (A), Alvin Kramer (M), Leo Krein (A), Victor Krein (A), George Kost (A), Vernon Kramer (A), Lee Kelly (A), Gideon Kramer (N), Andrew Kramer (A), Edward Kalibabky (N), Harold Klein (A), Fred J. Kautz, and Bruce Kretschmar (N).

Donald Klaus (A), George Kramer (A), Edward Kolb (A), Archie Keim (A), Albert Knoblich (A), Wilbert M. Kramer (A), Clarence Kramer (A), Wayne Kretschmar (A), Roy Krueger (A), Oscar A. Klipfel (A), and Adam Kaseman (A).



Anton Lacher, veteran of World War II. The following is a news item which appeared in the Ashley Tribune, and was submitted by Barbara Tschosik:

Citation for exemplary service and conduct has been made to Pvt. Anton A. Lacher, Zeeland, a member of a fighter control sector of the Mediterranean Allied Coastal Air Force who was recently awarded the Army Good Conduct Medal.

The fighter sector is responsible for the interception of all enemy aircraft and the carrying out of defensive measures. It is through its quick action that Allied planes are dispatched for interception, many times miles away from Allied controlled territory.

The unit is one of the most important in the whole Coastal Command and has been commended numerous times for its efficient work through the Mediterranean campaigns.

Pvt. Lacher's home is with his mother, Barbara Lacher, in Zeeland.

L

Albert Ley (A), Isadore Lang (A), Theodore Link (A), William Larson (N), Rochus A. Lacher (A), Jacob Leintz (A), Gottfried Ley (A), Howard Levi (N), Pius Lacher (A), Anton Lacher (A), and John Lieske (A).

M

Emil Moessner (A), Fred Marzolf (A), **John C. Meidinger** (A), Emil Moench (A), Reinhold Miller (A), Harold Miller (A), Adolph Meidinger (A), Emanuel Maier (A), Elmer Mack (A), Otto Moos (A), **Raymond G. Martz** (N), Alfred Maier (A), Fredric Marek (N).

Harry Mayer (A), Joseph Marek (A), **Gottfried Merkel** (A), William Marek (A), Fred R. Maier (A), August Meidinger (A), **Ephraim Meyer** (A), Arthur Marzolf (A), Oscar Meidinger (A), Herbert Moench (A), Oscar Miller (A), Herbert Miller (A), Herbert Mayer (A), Otto Maier (A), Oliver Meidinger (M), Bernhard Martz (A), Alvin Miller (A), Albert Miller (A), **Wilbert O. Miller** (A), Theodore Mueller (A), Wesley Maier (N), LeRoy Mayer (A).

John Meidinger (A), Aaron J. Meidinger (A), Clarence Maier (N), Allen Miller (A), Albert Maier (A), Minnette Meidinger (A), Roland Meidinger (A), Paul Martell (A), LeRoy Mayer (A), Paul Meidinger (A), Vernon Meyer (A), Ruben Mindt (A), Edwin Martell (A), Milton Mayer (A), Paul F. Meidinger (A), **Ephraim Meyer** (A), Baldwin Martz (N), and Albert Martel (A).

N

(all in the Army)

Ervin Nitschke, Roland Nitschke, Matthies Nitschke, A.K. Netz, Wilbert Nies, Martin Nolz, Edgar Nitschke, Isadore Nitschke, Milton Nies, and Edward Nitschke.

O

Albert Ottmar (A), Walter Olsen (A), Oliver Oberlander (A), Karl Ottmar (N), Raymond Olsen (A), and Willie Olsen (A).

P

Leonard Pfeifer (A), Raymond Pfeife (A), Gedion Perzman (A), Armand Pfeife (A), Ernest Pfaffenhauser (N), **Charles Pfeife** (N),



Walter Wahl at barracks during World War II.

Leonard Pfeife (A), Joseph Pudwill (N), Arthur Pfahl (A), William Pudwill (A), and Christopher Pfahl (A).

Q

Neil D. Quast (A).

R

Adolph Retzer (A), Glen Rott (A), Reinhold Ritter (A), Alvin Raile (A), Bennie Reich (A), Roland Reich (A), Alvin Rall (A), Rubin Rueb (A), Wilbur Ritter (A), Christ Rudolf (A), Calvin Rempfer (N), Emil Roth (A), Arthur Retzer (A), John Rau Jr. (A), Arthur Reule (A), Harold Reiner (A), Ervin Rempfer (A), August Roth (N), Rubin V. Raile (N), Leopold Rudolf (A), Victor Reede (N), Raymond Reile (N), Albert Retzer (N), Albert Roeszier (A), Paul Rudolf (N), Samuel Rudolf (A), Raymond Roth (N), Alvin Retzer (A), Edward Rau (A), Theodore Ritter (N), Harold Raile (N), Roland Roth (A), Edwin Rall (A), and Herbert Roth (A).

S

Leo Schmidt (A), Christian Schlabz (A), Edward Stein (A), Fred Strobel (A), Herbert Schauer (A), Richard Speidel (A), Jacob Stroh (A), Edgar Sinkbeil (A), Raymond Sinkbeil (A), Arthur Saylor (A), Adam Schmaltz (A), George Stern (A), Milton Schwindt (A).

Rudolph Spitzer (A), Hugo Speidel (N), Joseph Schatz (A), Melvin Schwind (A), Ervin Scharf (A), Hugo Schueffel (A), Leo Schueffel (A), Joseph Salwei (A), Arthur Schlepp (A), Roy Saylor (A), Leslie Sinkbeil (N), Gottfried Stevahn (N), Carl Sinkbeil (N), Emil Schott (A).

Gottlieb Schock (A), Gottlieb L. Sackmann (A), Albert Sapp (N), Harold Schulz (N), Walter Saylor (A), Harold Schlenker (A), Albert Schrenk (A), Walter Schmidt (N), Theodore Schumacher (A), Milbert Schlenker (M), **Alvin Schauer** (A), Ervin Steier (A).

Walter Schauer (A), Clarence R. Schweigert (A), Clarence Salzer (N), Ludwig Saylor (A), Harry Schweigert (A), Edwin Skaley (A), Oscar Saylor (A), Sebastian Schumacher (A), Enoch Strobel (A), William Schatz (A), Alvin Stevahn (A), Gottlieb Sackmann (A), Jacob Saylor (A), **Aloysius J. Streifel** (A), Waltmer Schwindt (A), and Ervin Spry (A).

T

Theodore Thurn (A), William Thurn (A), Walter Tretz (A), Alvin Thurn (A), Theophil Tesky (A), Oscar Tretz (A), Willard Tesky (N), Gottlieb Thurn (A), Edwin Telin (N), **Otto Paul Thurn** (N), and Fred Thurn (A).

V

Julius Vossler (A), Norman Vossler (A), Wilbert Vossler (A), Herman Vanourny (A), and John W. Vetter (A).

W

Harold Wolff (A), Frank Welder (A), Emil Wetzel (A), Anton Wald (A), Theodore Weixel (A), William Weisser (A), Floyd Weisser (A), Albert Will (A), Oswald Weisser (A), John Weigel (A), Ellis Weber (A), Peter Welder (A), Ferdinand Wetzel (A), Theodore Woehl (A), Frank Wolf (A), John Wolf (A), Albert Weisser (A), Adam Wald

(A), Julius Walth (N), Arthur Wetzl (A), Walter Wahl (A), Roland Walth (A), Jacob Weigel (A), Joseph Wolf (N), Herbert Wiest (A), Roland Weisenburger (A).

William Wolf (N), Oliver Wahl (A), Herman Wiest (N), Max A. Wisbek Jr. (N), Frederick Wahl (A), Christ Wanner (A), **Ervin R. Wiest (A)**, Alvin Wolf (A).

Adam J. Wanner (A), Gideon Wiest (A), Bernhard Wald (A), Oliver Walker (A), Otto Walth (A), Benjamin Walth (A), Almond Walth (A), Iver Walker (A), Milton Will (N), Herman Wiest (A), Isadore Wetzl (N), and Alvin Walth (A).

Z

Baldwin Zundel (A), Phillip Zimmerman (A), Clarence Zimmerman (N), and David Zvilowitz (A).

Discharges Mostly in 1950s and 1960s

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A

Raymond Aberle (A), Herbert Arnold (A), William W. Aberle (A), Clarence Alexander (Air Force), and DeuWayne Arnold (A).

B

August A.G. Bertsch (A), Lloyd Bertsch (A), Marvin Bertsch (A), Clarence Bendewald (A), Albert Bogda (A), Donald Babitzke (A), Elmer Brozy (M), John Beck (A).

Duane Bertsch (A), Myron Bender (A), Myron Brandner (A), Delbert Bender (A), Thomas Bauer (A), Willis Becker (A), Leonard Bertsch (N), Duane Bittner (N), Gideon Bader (A), Ronald Brosz (N).

Elmer Brandner (N), Clifton Backhaus (A), Stanley Boschee (A), Clifford Becker (A), Alfred Buchholz (A), Oliver W. Bettenhausen Jr. (A), Wilbert L. Brandner (A), Wilbert L. Brandner (National Guard), Richard L. Brandner (A), Martin Brozy (A).

Gerald Buchholz (A), Gilbert Bauer (A), Marvin Brown (A), Harold Bauer (A), Lloyd Bertsch (A), Norris Blessing (A).



Ellis Weber, at the right, in Hawaii.

Raymond R. Brosz (N), Clayton Bertsch (N), James Brandner (A), Glenard Baltzer (A), Henry Brinkman (A), Fredrick Bender (A), Karl E. Baumann (A), Charles L. Boschee (A), James Bauer (A), Fred Breitmeyer (A), Christian Babitzke (A), Edwin Bender (A), Daniel Billigmeier (A), Clifford Becker (A), James Brandner (A).

Arnold Becker (A), Harvey Bendewald (A), Henry Brinkman (A), Delmar Boschee (A), Jon Bittner (Air Force), Darvin Becker (A), Delmar Brozy (A), Norman Brandner (A), Jacob Becker (A), Milton Brandner (A), Gary Bendewald (A), James W. Bauer (Air Force).

Delmar Benkendorf (N), Thomas Bischke (A), Delane Bertsch (A), Michael Bailey (Air Force), Gary Bader (Air Force), Allen Baumann (A), Laurence Bader (A), Floyd Boschee (N), and James Bettenhausen (A).

C

Malon Cox (A).

D

Johnnie Diede (A), Gustave A. Dockter (Air Force), Leveorn Dittus (A), Milton Dockter (A), Leo Dobler

(Air Force), Elmer Dockter (A), Milton Delzer (A), Kenneth Dockter (A), Andrew Delzer (A), Myron Daschendorf (A), Clifford Dockter (Air Force), Emanuel Doyle (A).

Rueben Dockter (A), Reinhold Delzer (A), LeRoy Dockter (Air Force), Alfred Dobler (N), Wilbur Delzer (A), Edwin Doyle (A), Allen Delzer (A), Frederick Dewald (A), Allen Delzer (A), Larry Dockter (N), Vincent Dobler (N), Allan Diede (A), Stanley Dockter (A), Donald Dockter (A), Vivian Dobler (A), and William Dittus (A).

E

LeRoy Eissinger (N), Alvin Entzi (A), Raymond Ehley (National Guard), George Eissinger (A), Myron H. Ehley (Air Force), Clinton Eiseman (A), Marvin Ehley (A).

Henry Eissinger (A), Leo Entzi (A), Raymond L. Ehley (A), Fred Entzi (N), Ruben Eiseman (A), Marvin Erlenbusch (A), Eugene Entzi (A), Elmer Eiseman (A), Charles Eissinger (A), Reubin Entzi (A), Frederick Eisenbeis (A), Randal Eckman (A), Terry Eszlinger (N), and Arnold Entzi (A).

F

Walter O. Froh Jr. (A), Wilbert Fischer (A), Robert Frank (A), Wilbert Funk (A), Allen Fischer (A), Robert J. Feist (A), Herbert Fregien (A), MillRoy Fischer (A).

Raymond J. Feist (A), Vernon Frank (N), Francis Feist (A), James F. Feist (A), Norman Frank (A), Roger Foerderer (A), and Barry Feil (Air Force).

G

Eldon Goebel (M), Evans Goehring (A), Alvin Grueneich (A), Leo Grueneich (A), Marvin Gall (M), Conrad Glatt (A), Albert Golz (A).

Martin Groszhans (M), Marvin Gross (A), Herbert Glaesman (National Guard), Harvey Golz (N), Jacob J. Grueneich (A), Noyal Gall (A), Norman Gall (A), Jacob Glaesman (A), Bruce Golz (N), Vernon Gerber (A), Paul Goehring (A), Douglas Giedt (N), Larry E. Glaesmann (A), Paul Goehring (A), and Martin Geiszler (A).

H

John J. Huether (A), Walter Helfenstein (A), Kenneth Hassenmueller (N), Clarence Harter (N),

Calvin Hoff (N), Richard Herr (A), Laurence Hoffmann (Air Force), Elmer Hochhalter (A), Martin Haupt (A), Marvin Hochhalter (A), Ervin Heinrich (A), Howard Haupt (A), Harley Hiller (A), Delmar Herv (National Guard), Marvin Heinrich (A), Delmar Herr (A), **Hugo Herman** (N), James Herr (N), Robert Hasenmueller (N), Clarence Haas (Air Force), Paul Heil (A), Robert Harter (Air Force), Clarence Haupt (A), Emanuel Herr (Air Force).

Elmer Heupel (A), James R. Huber (A), Rueben Hoffman (A, National Guard), Vern Heupel (A, National Guard), Roger Hilscher (A), Harry Hagel (A), Henry Hoff (A), Jeroald Heinrich (Air Force), Leonard Heupel (N), James Heiser (A), Haven Heupel (A), Dermot Hochhalter (A), Archie Hoffman (A), Thomas Haas (N), DeWayne Heil (A), Walter Heupel (N), Lester Haas (A), Myron Hauff (A), Darvin Hauff (A), and Raymond Heupel (A).

I

James Isaak (N).

J

Alvin Janke (A), Delbert Jenner (A), David Just (A), William Jenner Jr. (A), Herbert Janke (A), Raymond Just (A), Raymond Jund (A), Robert Jund (N), Robert Johnson (A), Oliver Jung (A), John Jahraus (A), Joseph Jung (A), and Gerold Just (A).

K

Raymond A. Kappes (A), Harold Kaseman (A), Allen Ketterling (A), Arndt Ketterling (A), Clifton Kaseman (A), Marvin Kaseman (A), Delmar Kammet (A), Roger Krueger (M), Lenis Kaseman (A), Lloyd Kramer (Air Force), Victor Kaul (A), Klinton Kramer (A), Christ Krein (A), Edwin J. Kramer (A), Leonard E. Klein (N), Walter F. Kost (A), Leonard M. Klein (A).

Delbert Kappes (A), Kenneth E. Krein (A), Norman Kaseman (A), Adam Ketterling (A), Marvin Kaseman (A), Melvin Krause (A), Matthew Klein (Air Force), Roger Krein (A), Jacob Knoll (A), Gordon Keim (M), Willard Ketterling (Air Force), Gerhardt Ketterling (Air Force), Jerald Kaseman (A), Donald Kramlich (A), Ivan Knoblich (N), Jacob J. Kramer (A), Richard



David Helmer, a World War II veteran.

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